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## Workers' Compensation Commission

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## **UPDATED HCFA 1500 FORM**

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) has adopted the World Health Organization's tenth revision to its "International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems" (ICD-10) classification code set effective October 1, 2014. In preparation for the change over from ICD-9 to ICD-10, the American Medical Association's "National Uniform Claim Committee" has released (and CMS and the Office of Management and Budget have approved) an updated Health Insurance Claim Form (1500 Claim Form version 02/12).

Beginning January 1, 2014, healthcare providers were able to submit medical payment requests using the revised 1500 form. <u>After March 31, 2014, healthcare providers will no longer be allowed to submit payment requests under the previous versions of the 1500 form.</u>

To ensure that the medical billing protocols set forth by the South Carolina Workers' Compensation Commission are consistent with CMS and AMA standards, the Commission has approved the use of and implementation schedule for the Health Insurance Claim Form 1500 (v 02/12).

The Form 1500 may be downloaded at:

http://nucc.org/images/stories/PDF/1500\_claim\_form\_2012\_02.pdf

Information concerning the changes to the Form 1500 may be found at:

http://nucc.org/images/stories/PDF/1500\_claim\_form\_change\_log\_2012\_02.pdf

## Please note:

The change to ICD-10 does not affect CPT coding for outpatient procedures and physician services. At this time, the Commission will make no changes to the CPT code set within the current 2010 Medical Services Provider Manual.

For information concerning the transition to ICD-10, please see the information provided by CMS at:

http://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Coding/ICD10/index.html?redirect=/icd10.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at:

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